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v

Merit Management Partners I, L.P.; Merit Energy Partners III, L.P.; and

Merit Energy Company, LLC

The appellees' brief has been filed under the date of April 4, 2014 in the above referenced cause.

Please be advised that this cause has been set for submission with oral argument on **Wednesday**, **May 14**, **2014**, **at 1:30 PM**, before a panel consisting of Justice Dauphinot, Justice Gardner, and Justice Meier, in the courtroom of the Court of Appeals for the Second District of Texas, which is **located on the 9th** 

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floor of the Tim Curry Criminal Justice Center. This panel is subject to change by the court. See Tex. R. App. P. 39.8.

All attorneys who are arguing before this court will need to arrive before scheduled argument time in order to check in with the clerk in the courtroom and announce how much time is needed for oral argument. This Court's case submissions are listed on our website at <a href="https://www.2ndcoa.courts.state.tx.us/opinions/submission.asp">www.2ndcoa.courts.state.tx.us/opinions/submission.asp</a>.

**NOTE**: Any party waiving oral argument is required to notify this court and all parties at least seven (7) days before the scheduled submission date. Unless argument is waived under Local Rule 3E, counsel shall appear at the time set for oral argument. See 2nd Tex. App. (Fort Worth) Loc. R. 3F.

This Court's local rules limit oral argument to fifteen (15) minutes per side and an additional five (5) minutes for appellant's rebuttal. Any additional time must be requested before submission date. If you request less than the allotted time you will not be allowed to extend past that time.

Respectfully yours,

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